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| Application No.: | 09/955,751  | Art Unit:   | 3691       |
| Filed:           | September 19, 2001  | Docket No.: | ARIBP037   |
| Title:           | SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONDUCTING ELECTRONIC AUCTIONS WITH MULTI-PARAMETER OPTIMAL BIDDING |             |            |

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| 1. Submission                            | required und  | er 37 CFR §1.114   |
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c. Fee Calculation: The fee for excess claims, if applicable, has been calculated as shown below.

|                               |           |               |       | Small Entity |               |        | Large Entity |     |  |
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|                               |           |               |       | Rate         | Fee           |        | Rate         | Fee |  |
| RCE FILING FEE                |           | x \$405 = \$  |       | OR           | x \$810 = \$  | 810.00 |              |     |  |
| CLAIMS                        | After RCE | *HP           | Extra |              |               |        |              |     |  |
| Total                         | 31        | 31            |       | x \$25 = \$  |               | OR     | x \$50 = \$  |     |  |
| Independent                   | 5         | 5             |       | x \$105 = \$ |               | OR     | x \$210 = \$ |     |  |
| Multiple Dependent Claims -0- |           | x \$185 = \$  |       | OR           | x \$370 = \$  |        |              |     |  |
| *HP = Highest previously paid |           | TOTAL FEES \$ |       |              | TOTAL FEES \$ | 810.00 |              |     |  |

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| Miscellaneous:  |                 |                      |              | •             |               |
| a. Suspension of action of 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period  |                 |                      | -            | ion is reque  | ested under   |
| b Other   |                 |                      |              |               |               |
| Applicant hereby petitions for  | an extension of | f time as f          | ollow        | s:            |               |
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| ☐ Extension for Response within FIRST month   | x \$60 = \$     |                      | OR           | x \$120 = \$  |               |
| ☐ Extension for Response within SECOND month  | x \$230 = \$    |                      | OR           | x \$460 = \$  |               |
| ☐ Extension for Response within THIRD month   | x \$525 = \$    |                      | OR           | x \$1050 =    | \$            |
| ☐ Extension for Response within FOURTH month  | x \$820 = \$    |                      | OR           | x \$1640 = \$ |               |
| ☐ Extension for Response within FIFTH month   | x \$1115 = \$   |                      | OR           | x \$2230 = \$ |               |
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| d/or extension of time fees.  | _               |                      |              |               | •             |
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7. If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required during the pendency of the subject application, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0685 (ARIBP037).

| 8. Applicant Initiated Interview | Request Form |
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